GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3498
ANSWERED ON:17.04.2000
DEVELOPMENT OF COASTAL AREA OF KONKAN
ANANT GANGARAM GEETE

Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government have received any proposal from the Maharashtra Government for the development of coastal area of Konkan;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the date from which the proposals are pending for approval/sanction of the Union Government;

(d) whether any scheme related to Ratnagiri District has been included in the proposal; and

(e) if so, the time by which the pending proposal are likely to be approved?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS

(SHRI BABU LAL MARANDI)

(a), (b) and (c) One proposal relating to construction of a Mumbai-Mahad Expressay has been received by this Ministry for environmental clearance. However, the file on the above has been closed since requisite information has not been received from the Government of Maharashtra.

(d) No proposal relating to Ratanagiri District has been received.

(e) A decision on the project will be taken after the requisite information is received from the Government of Maharashtra.